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AMENDMENTThis amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed April 23,
2003, in the above-identified application.IN THE SPECIFICATION:Please substitute the following amended formula for the pending
formula on page 13, line 10:A_i

$$a_i^{L_p} = \left[\sum_j (e_i^p - e_j^p) \right]^{\frac{1}{p}}$$